LOCAL NEWS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES .- War Depart ment, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washington, D. C., March 20, 1878-10:30 a. m.-For New England and the Middle States, coldor partly cloudy or clear weather, northwesterly Alaska will give no trouble." winds, rising barometer.

Y. M. C. A .- The regular monthly meeting of this Association was held in their room last night, Job Corson, Vice President, in the chair.

After the usual opening religious exercises, the General Secretary was appointed to record

the minutes. The minutes of the February meeting were

read and ordered to be corrected. The Executive Committee reported the names of the following persons for active membership: Frederick Green, M. P. Church; James Grige, M. E. Church, South; John T. Boyd, M. E. Church ; George Swain, Second Presbyterian Church ; J. Calvin Smith, Grace Church, and

they were elected. The Executive Committee were instructed to make the final arrangement with the landlord with regard to the rent of the room and decide upon its future occupancy, and also to make the

final terms with the Luthern congregation. The report of General Secretary, and reports from the various activities of the Society were

made and accepted. On motion it was resolved that the Jail Committee and the Executive Committee, jointly, shall at the April meeting report some definite accommodations at the jail for religious

The Association adjourned after religiou ex

THE CANAL AND MINES .- The men ougaged in cleaning the mud and other debris from the marked by some bitterness between members bed of the Georgetown level of the Chesapeake of the two rarties which it is feared will lead and Ohio Canal were discharged yesterday, and to future difficulties. the water will be turned on this evening. There is another break in the canal at the Little Monocacy, caused by the recent heavy rains. The break, however, will not in the least impede pavigation by the time the canal trade opens, on or about the 15th of April. The miners of the Maryland, Potomae and Swanton companies have held meetings and resolved to go to work at forty cents per ton. It is ex pected that all the miners now idle will come into the new arrangement in a few days, and that mining will commence briskly.

The repairs to the Aqueduct are still in progress, but will be completed by the time that the water is let into the C. & O. Canal.

The water was drawn off the entire length of the Alexandria Canal last night, in order to give the canal bed a thorough cleaning and useer. tain if any repairs were needed.

IMPOUNDING Cows .- Much complaint has been made lately of the practice on the part of the negro county constables whose jurisdiction being prosecuted a year after the offence, and extends north of the canal, of taking up and impounding the cows of citizens, which go out there to graze. Yesterday Mr. Ferdinand Koight sued out before Justice Padgett a war- a few days, furnish some very interesting facts. rant in detinue for two of his cows, which were detained by a negro named Jackson, just north of the canal locks. Officers Ogden, Lawler and Hayes went to Jackson's house and found but also four others belonging to Councilman to Europe included a visit to Madrid to make of public feeling in the South. He is also walls. The others, excited with hope, assembut also four others belonging to Councilman W. S. Moore, all of which they brought in arrangements with the Government of Spain pleased with the action of Governor Hampton bled in the yard and fiercely demanded that the town and delivered to their owners.

to preach by one of the members of Shiloh Americans, Spaniards and Cubans of promi-Church, colored, last night. While preaching | nence were interested, but the scheme fell ted, but was allowed to proceed until five minutes of 10 o'clock, when he was about to read from the Bible to prove his dostrine, but was prevented by the deacons, who approached him forces of Los Vilas was completed yesterday, and foreibly closing the book informed him that it was not necessary, as they could not be- Those who presented themselves are Major lieve it, and besides the time limiting sermons General Ralaff, Brigadier General Maestre, (9½ o'clock) had expired.

give an entertainment at Saropta Hall to night. of Bayamo, Mazanillo and Giguam had already The young gentlemen composing the troupe are well known in this city and their standing | Modesto Diaz. So that as far as Halgiun all is is a guarantee of the perfect propriety of the pacified.

The public suppers for the benefit of the Methodist Protestant Church will be held in made every preparation for furnishing a first class supper.

ILL.-Mr. James H. Reid, cashier of the German Bank, has been confined to his resi dence for a week past by illness.

The many friends of Mrs. R. W. Falls, of this city, will regret to learn that she lies extremely ill in Baltimore. Col. Falls was telegraphed for last evening. A telegram was received this morning stating that she was sinking rapidly. Her diseases are pneumonia, congestion of the lungs, and an affection of the heart.

RELIGIOUS MEETINGS. - A large crowd gathered at the M. E. Church last night to hear a second sermon from Mrs. Elizabeth Comstock, the Quaker lady who preached there last Sunday. The discourse was a most excellent one.

The services at the Baptist Church were also largely attended. Several persons have already professed conversion, and the indications are that the meetings will prove highly successful.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS .- The Committee on Public Property of the City Council met at the Auditor's office yesterday evening. The only business transacted was the consideration of certain repairs to the dockhead at the Ameri can coal wharf. It was resolved to do the work and to advertise for proposals, which advertisement will be found in another column.

POLICE ITEMS .- Affairs at police headquar

ters were very quiet to-day. Two colored men for disorderly conduct were required to pay cests and to give security to

keep the peace for three months. James Smith, colored, accused of stealing clothing from Remus Scott, also colored, was committed for further examination.

ACCIDENT.-A colored man named Isham Gaines, who was employed in Mr. J. A. Harrison's feed store, at the corner of King and Lee streets, fell through the batchway there, but Dr. Brown, who examined him, found no bones broken. He was carried to his home, in upon application, or mailed to any address that upon application, or mailed to any address the lower and of the Event Word. the lower end of the First Ward, in a wagon.

NOT TO BE CHANGED. - In the Maryland Senate, yesterday, an unfavorable report was adopted on the bill to change the county seat of Charles county from Port Tobacco to La Plata Station on the Baltimore and Potomac

safe and sure in its effects. Price 25 cents.

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Local Brevities.

The Washington correspondent of the Richmond Dispatch says: "It is reported that Major Alexander Hunter, member of the Legislature from Alexandria, will be invited to go to Alaska with Colonel Ball. The debt of

The Episcopal Parish at old Quantico has been reorganized, with Richard Stonnell as warden; Dr. M. A. Ish, treasurer; Mr. J. Frank Wheat, register; and the election of a framed church commenced there.

The Columbia Steam Fire Engine Company have exchanged the old brass dome of their engine, for another one from Washington, which fits the new iron jacket better.

The U. S. steam racht Hamilton laid at King street wharf all last night, and this morning took a U. S. paymaster from the steamer Jane Mosely to Fort Foote.

The versal equinox occurred to day, and there has rarely been a more agreeable one. A stiff breeze was blowing, but the air was bracing, the sky clear and the sun warm.

A colored boy named Norman Diggs was slightly wounded in the hand, yesterday evening, by the explosion of a pistol cartridge, which he was pounding with a hammer.

The chancery cause of Johnson vs. Witmen was argued before Judge Lowe, in chambers, to-day, by Messrs. H. O. Claughton, S. F. Beach, J. S. Chapman and Kent & Neale.

Attention is called to the receipt of new styles of spring clothing by S. Dealham, corner of King and Fairfax streets.

Louisiana.

NEW YORK, March 20 .- A special from New Orleans says the Legislature adjourned sine die last night. The closing hours were

The city charter passed in Warmouth's days was not touched, and every measure possible was passed for the better security of the State debt, in spite of a lively opposition.

Anderson and his friends held a meeting to day to consider what action should be taken in connection with the collectorship, but no conclusion was reached. It is believed if Anderson himself cannot secure the place, which is hardly deemed possible, that Albert Gantt, of St. Landry, will be pushed for the place. He is a firm supporter of Packard, could not meet with much opposition from him, and as a gentleman, and one well known in the State, would not meet with much opposition. He is endorsed by a number of republicans and outsiders, and it is believed might easily win. It is not believed any action will be taken, however, until Anderson is released, when he will leave at once for Washington.

There is a movement on foot, sub rosa, to prove that the Hon. Pitt Kellogg, Senator from the republican party in Louisiana, secured his election by purchasing enough votes. The Bribery law of this State prevents any one from several of the colored members who received \$150 for their votes, it is said, are now ready to tell the truth. A committee was appointed in the Senate a few days ago, and will, it is said, in

Cuba.

NEW YORK, March 20.—The Times has a statement that Gen. Baldy Smith's recent trip be regarded as an indication of a proper state others. A few made their escape over the by which Cuba was to be made free, with an American protectorate for the Island-the Cu-SHILOH CHURCH.-Jesse Loc. an Ironside | bans to pay Spain \$100,000,000 in bonds en-Baptist preacher from Front Royal, was invited dorsed by the United States. It is stated that on predestination he was eccusionally interrup- through, as the Spanish authorities at Madrid would not entertain the proposition.

NEW YORK, March 20.-According to an official telegram the surrender of the insurgent the territory being now completely quiet .three Colonels, eight Lieutenant Colonels, fifty-AMUSEMENTS.—The Jubilee Singers will women and childrer. The (insurgent) bands presented themselves on the 8th instant with

Bishop of Richmond.

BALTIMORE, March 20 .- The Catholic Mirror the Y. M. C. A. rooms to night and to morrow has official information that Rev. J. J. Keane, night, from 7 to 9 o'clock. The ladies have of Washington, has been appointed Bishop of Richmond, and Monsigneur Chatard, Bishop of Vincennes, Indiana.

Extensive Fire.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, March 20. - At midnight a fire broke out in the brick building, corner of Superior and Merwin streets, occupied by the Cleveland non explosive lamp company. The building and its contents were entirely consumed. The total loss on stock is \$200,000 .-Insured for \$80,000. The building was valued at \$25,000. Insured, but the amount is not known. Cause of the fire unknown.

Expelled from the Ministry.

READING, PENN, March 23 .- At to day's session of the Philadelphia conference of the M. E. Church, Rev. E. D. Kenney, on the report of the court of Inquiry, was found guilty and expelled from the ministry and conference.

MOTHERS. - Don't fail to procure MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP for all diseases of teething in children. It relieves the child from pain, cures wind colic, regulates the bowels, and, by giving relief and health to the child, gives rest to the mother. mar 1-ly

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From Washington.

SPECIAL TO THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE. WASHINGTON, D. C., Murch 20.

In the Senate, to day, after the presentation of the usual number of petitions, remonstrances, memorials. &c., among them several against the reimposition of the income tax, against the | that report until I came to prepare for publica transfer of the Signal Service to the Navy De- tion a full and explicit account of my official

The House Deliciency bill was reported. of Richmond, Va., was favorably reported

from the Committee on Claims. A bill was introduced for the protection of

homestead settlers on public lands. The bill in relation to the cultivation of timber on the public domain-granting a quarter section of the public land to any one who shall plant and cultivate ten acres of trees, was taken up, amended so as to restrict the benefits to actual citizens of the U.S., and passed, ayes 39, noes 12; Mr. Johnston, of Va., voting in the negative and Mr. Withers in the affirm-

Messrs. Windom, Blaine and Withers were appointed a Committee of Conference on thepart of the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two houses on the Military Academy bill. Mr. Howe, of Wisconsin, introduced a resoinformation to reference to Judge Whittaker, of La., whether he has been in the Internal Revenue service, whether he has been a defaulter to the Government and been tried and acquitted of the charges preferred, and any other information regarding his connection with Louisiana affairs, and gave notice that on Monday next he, Howe, would call up the resolution and give his reasons for not having given the present administration that hearty support that it was expected he would have

A bill to relieve Robert H. Chilton, of Ga. of his political disabilities was passed. The bill to compel the Pacific Railroads to establish a sinking fund to Equidate their indebtedness to the U. S. Government was taken

Mr. Mitchell, of Oregon, addressed the Sen ate. He said that the amount of indebtedness was \$150,000,000, but that the Government became due.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. In the House of Representatives the bill in | evacuation of Richmond is as follows: | relation to advertising for mail lettings, considcred yesterday, was variously amended and passed.

The House then went into committee of the whole, Mr. Hunton in the chair, and proceeded The superintendent also left, giving direcfurther to consider the deficiency appropriation | tions to his subordinates to try to hold the

bill for Utah, which disfranchises women. Its the explosion of the magazine, at once realadoption would destroy one of the main stays | ized the situation. They knew that "the of Mormon political strength in Utah.

Southern policy, and says that the event should having secured liberty helped to release the na to the assistance of the Government in its that Sunday night and the impending danger efforts to enforce the revenue laws and appre- of that Monday morning, as Mr. Meenley re-

Sherman Regent of the Smithsonian Institute, in place of George Bancroft, resigned.

The House Committee on the Judiciary have agreed to report a bill to repeal the existing to be open until July 1, 1879, but involuntary sorely distressed officers at the penitentiary. proceedings are to cease from and after the bill He saw one or two officers, but was unsuccessbecomes a law.

The President made the following nominations yesterday: John G. Austen to be United another trip down town with the same object. States Consul at Iloilo, Philippine Islands .-Postmasters-Osman B. Warren, at Rochester, the city-a set of half drunken, half starved New Hampshire; George G. Leovitt, at Erce people, more infuriated even than the convicts ter, New Hampshire; Melvin A. Cushing, at leocustor, assembled and got possession of the gates. Minonk, Illinois; Samuel C. Camp, at Wil- They came in to pillage. The convicts mingled mington, Illinois; Smith A. Atkins, at Free- with the rabble, and helped themselves to the port; Illinois; F. C. Kettenring, at De Witt, stores of clothing and shoes (made up for the Iowa; James Coey, at San Francisco, Cal., Albert J. Laury, at Piacerville, Cal.

Albert J. Laury, at Placerville, Cal.
Secretary Sherman appeared before the Finance Committee of the Senate, yesterday, in opposition to the bill to repeal the Resumption act. He gave it as his opinion that specie payments could be fully resumed by July if the Resumption act is not interfered with, and he-thought that the remonetization of silver would be an aid to resumption. The Silver bill did both good and harm. One way in which it was harmful and harm. One way in which it was harmful was because it led to the return of bonds from abroad, but it produced good by increasing foreign confidence in our honds by reason of the fact that our people took them up in large quantities. He was strongly opposed to the appeal of the Resumption act, and said the resumption of encoing payments could not be permanently of specie payments could not be permanently maintained without retaining the legal tender function for about \$300,000,000 in United States notes; or, in other words, that the legal tender notes after reaching par should be paid out

again for Government disbursements. It is very doubtful, judging from the debate in the House to-day, whether there will be any change made in the tariff at the present session of Congress.

Exciting Walking Match.

LONDON, March 20. - The international walk ing match, which began in Agricultural Hall, Islington, Monday moroiog, and to last six days, is progressing amid much interest. At eleven o'clock this morning O'Lerary, the American, had completed 231 miles, 11. Brown, of Fulham, 224 and Harry Vaugo, of Chester, 222. The match appears to rest between these

A London dispatch says Albert A. Smith, of Chicago, has wagered several hundred pounds in the books that O'Leary will win. Smith is fairly besieged by the book makers. Carroll Livings-ton, James Gordon Bennett, Mr. Stevenson and the Earl of Fermoy, who won heavily on O'Leary when he beat Weston, are again among

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PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS, addressed to the undersigned, will be received at the Auditor's office until 12 o'clock m. on SATURDAY, the 23d of March, 1878, for putting in 586 lineal feet of LOGGING at the wharf of the American Coal Co.; the ties to be placed 10 feet apart, five of the ties on the first tier, south side, to run back 40 feet and to fasten into a timber placed parallel with the logging to securely draw up parallel with the logging to securely draw up and fasten all the fenders where the work is to be done. The work to be done in the best manner, and subject to the approval of the Commitblic Property. Security for the faithful performance of the contract will be requir- tory proof that Green's August Flower will ed. The right to reject any or all bids is re-HENRY STRAUSS. served. Ch'n. Joint Com. Pub. Prop. mh 20-3t

cars, bridges, tin or iron roofs, out-buildings, fences, or will preserve old shingle and felt roofs for many years. This paint has a heavy body, dark red in color, dries quick, and will stand in any climate. One gallon will cover 300 square feet of tin, iron or any smooth surface, and is the sale by cheapest good mixed paint ever offered to the SMAIL HAMS, choice, received to-day at for immediate use. Price one dollar per gallon mh 14 J. C. & E. MILBURN'S. No charge for cans. mh 2) public. Put up in 1 and 2 gallon cans, all reals

Another Card from Col. Mayo. To the editor of the Richmond Whig:

Some kind friend has sent me a copy of the Report of the Joint Committee to examine the offices of Sec. n.J. Auditor and Treasurer, in regard to the double funding and abstraction of State bonds." It was not my purpose to notice connection with the government at Richmond. But on reading the depositions of certain witpesses, who testified before the committee, I A bill for the relief of the Female Institute, deom it proper to mak one statement in ad-

It is attempted to connect my acts with those of Wm D. Coleman. The charge that there was any sort of complicity between him and me, has not the faintest semblance of truth. It, as well as every other allegation or insunation of criminal conduct on my part, is as toul a calumny as ever is-ued out of that lowest deep of iniquity, a malignant human heart.

For my acts I alone am accountable. No one knew of them but mysel!; no one but I know the whole truth about them pow. And I will, in good time, tell the people of Virginia everyhing. I shall put on record that which will stand as a monument of truth while the hills stand. This I would have done long ago, but for reasons which, when disclosed, will be perfectly satisfactory to every right-thinking mind. In this battle for more than life, I desire no belp from any quarter. I can take care of mylation of crouity calling on the President for self. In the perfect possession of all my faculties, serene and resolute, with courage tempered and annealed in the fire of intensest suffering-that "arms the obdured heart with stubborn patience as in triple steel"-I meet my accusers face to face. And woe to the cowardly miscreants who struck me while I lay prostrate under the direct of human afflictions. They have earned immortal infamy; they shall surely have thier reward.

With one remarkable exception, none of my former comrades in-arms have intimated a doubt of my integrity. From many of them ! have received tokens of manly sympathy and encouragement, whose value cannot be measured in words. Their good opinion I prize above all other earthly benisons. If, after reading my story, there be one among them who believes that I am not as guiltless of intentional wrong to the State as when we fought together in her defence, I beg that he will at once inform me Jos. MAYO.

A FEARFUL NIGHT. - John F. Moenly, an could not enforce its demands till the bonds assistant in the State Penitentiary, has been interviewed by a reporter for the Richmond Dispatch. His account of the night of the

There were about 300 prisoners in the peni-

tentiary then. The evacuation having been determined upon the Public Guard was ordered cut of the city by Governor Smith .prisoners until the United States troops arrived. Panie took possession, and many of The House Committee on Territories have the officers and subordinates left here. The agreed to report favorably the Luttrell Election | prisoners seeing the city a flame, and hearing Yankees were coming." Though locked President Hayes is disposed to consider the in their cells they determined to be free. By result of the Anderson case as a triumph for his morning of the 3d of April one or two The House of Representatives yesterday concurred with the Senate in appointing Gen.

Sherman Regent of the Scribbsonian I. himself a great success. Public duties were neglected save by a few. On the Monday orning Mr. Jacob started down town with the hope of meeting with some Federal officers and in bankrupt law. All voluntary proceedings are the belief that they would send relief to the ful in getting the troops needed. After awhile, as the convicts became more mutinous, he made During Mr. Jacob's absence the rabble from Confederate soldiers.) After that Messrs. Meenly, Bragg, and Jacob could do nothing but be the witnesses of excesses they could not prevent. The convicts spread over the city, and committed many crimes before the Federal

provost guard became organized. After that about eighty of them were recaptured. THE STINGING SENSATION in the gullet called "heartburn" (why it is impossible to conceive, since the heart has nothing to do with it,) is caused by the acetous fermentation in the stomach of the food contained in it; by an overplus of the gastric juice, which is itself a powerful acid, or by the unnaturally acrid quality of that secretion. The ordinary way of treating this symptom, for it is nothing else, is to administer bi-carbonate of soda, an alkali, to neutralize the acid. But sour stomach cannot be cured by alkalis, which tend to weaken the digestive apparatus. A far better remedy is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which strengthens the cellular membrane, the seat of the difficulty, regulates the flow of the gastric secretion, improves the quality if vitiated, and puts the stomach into good working order. Perfect digestion follows as a natural sequence, and there is no more trouble from heartburn or sour stomach. The liver and bowels are also thoroughly regulated by this sovereign alterative.

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AUCTION SALES.

TOR SALE-On SATURDAY, March 30, 1878, at Drovers' Hotel, West End, the FARM OF THOS. E. COWLING, adjoining the lands of George Auld and Doctor W. B Gregory, containing TWENTY-EIGHT ACRES, more or less, and improved by a TWO STORY FRAMED HOUSE and out buildings, and a young orchard, will be sold by public auction, for each, to satisfy claims in my hands in favor of E. D. Caits, Cowling & Bro., George Auld and others. JOHN H. SARTIN, Constable Fairfax County.

By order of the County Court of Fairfax. fab 23-1d

By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

TRUSTEES' SALE OF THE ADAMANTINE BRICK COMPANY'S WORKS AND PROPERTY, ALEXANDRIA Co., VA. Under the authority of a deed of trust, bearing date of Docember 2, 1876, made by the "The Adamantine Brick Company, an incorporated company, duly charter by an ordered of the Circuit Court for Alexandria county, Va., which deed is of record in the land records of said county, the subscribers, as trustees hereby created, will sell at public auction for eash, on THURSDAY, the 25th day of April, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., at the works of said company at Waterloo station, on the Alexandria and Wash. ington Railroad, in said county, a certain tract of land in said county, containing thirty-two (32) acres, three (3) rods and eighteen and fortythree one-hundredth (18. 43-100) perches, known as part of "Waterloo" farm, and described according to a survey and map attached to said deed, made by William Forsyth, December 1, 1876, as follows, viz:-

Beginging at the intersection of the east line of the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike road with the land of Lieutenant Hunter, and running thence east nine hundred and four (901) feet, thence north six and a quarter (61) degrees, east sixteen hundred and forty-nine and twenty nine one-hundredth (1,649.29-100) feet, thence south seventy-six and one half (761) degrees, west one hundred and four and thirty-nine one hundredth (104, 39-100) feet thence south eight-four and three-fourth (817) degrees, west eight hundred and sixteen and forty-two one hundredth (816.42-100) feet thence south six and one-quarter (61) degress, west fifteen hundred and fifty. one (1,551) feet to the place of beginning, subect to and in accordance with a reserved right of way throught the above described property sixty-six feet in width, on such line as the parties conveying said land to said company may elect, the line to be located in such a manner as not in any degree to interferre with the operations of the said company to be carried on upon said property, together with all the buildings and improvements erected on said land, and the tools, machinery and outfit used by said company in carrying on their trade and business, together with the franchises and all the privileges, rights

Also said company's patent rights for the bla and the county of Alexandria, Va., which patents and improvements were severally issued , 1865, numbered 47,681, and to Lauren U Woodruff, assignee of Benjamin D. Berry, Feb-Woodruff regularly assigned to the said com-pany. C. A. JAMES, S. FERGUSON BEACH, Trustees

feb 15-ts LOST AND FOUND.

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TREASURER'S OFFICE,
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All persons who have not yet paid their State
taxes for the year 1877, will please see to the payment thereof at once. The Legislature has given no extension of time for collections, and I hope those who have not paid will do so at once, and save me the unpleasant duty of en-forcing the payment according to law. The payment of taxes for 1877 is required to enable

persons to vote in the spring elections.

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while here will give his attention to the TUNING AND REPAIRING OF PIANOS AND

THE FARMER'S BAROMETER, STORM GLASS AND THERMOMETER

The above useful article, just received and for sale at 83 King, corner of Royal st., by J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. PUBLIC SUPPERS.

The ladies of the M. P. Church will give public suppers at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association on the evenings of WED-NESDAY and THURSDAY of next week, for

FIVE SHARES OF STOCK IN THE GER-MAN BANKING COMPANY, which will be G street, Washington, D. C. mh 19-3t CHOICE LOT OF HAVANA ORANGES AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VERY VALUA-BLE PROPERTY, at Fairfax Court house, Va .- In and by virtue of that certain deed of trust from J.D. Fairfax and others bearing date December 1, 1869 and of record on the land records of Fairfax county, liber L. No. 4, folio 6. the undersigned, trustee named in said deed, will sell by public sale, before the door of the Court House, on MONDAY, the 15th day of April, 1878, (court day) at 12 o'clock m, that valuable property known as "COMBE COTTAGE", adjoining the village, and at present occupied by H. C. Fairfax and James M. Love. esqs. This property embraces a lot of fifteen acres of highly improved land, having thereon a large FRAME DWELLING, containing twenty odd rooms, besides basements, closets, pantries and cellars, a well of excellent water near the kitchen door, lawn beautifully shaded, thirfly apple orchard, and excellent garden, rendering this one of the linest chances for opening and establishing a female Seminary, for which purpose the buildings were erected and long used. Persons desiring information as to the property will please address the undersigned. at Fairfax Court House, Va.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will meet the expenses of sale; also the sum of \$1225, cash; the residue in two equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by a lien on the property.

mh 15-w4w THOMAS MOORE, Trustee.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Pursuant to to the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at its February term, 1874, in the case of Gunnell's adm'x, vs. George H. Fox's adm'r. and others, the undersigned will sell by public auction, on MONDAY, the 15th day of April, 1878, at 12 o'clock m. of said day, (court day) in front of the Court House of said county, that certain TRACT OF LAND of which George H. Fox died seized, containing 871 acres. This land is a part of the real estate of which the late Gabriel Fox died seized; lies near Fox's old mill, now Woples'; is well wooded, and the land under cultivation susceptible of ready improvement. Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will be required to pay the expenses of sale, and the residue on a credit of one, two and three years, in equal instalments; to bear interest from the the day of sale; to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser with good personal security, and a retention of the title until the last payment is THOMAS MOORE. made.

mh 15-w4w Comm'r. of Sale. COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF LAND NEAR GREAT FALLS-Pursuant to the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county in the suit of Coleman vs. Jackson, entered at June term, 1876, the undersigned, commissioners named in said decree, will, on MON-DAY, the 15th day of April, 1878, at 1 o'clock p. m., (Court day) sell to the highest bidder, the TWO LOTS OR PARCELS OF LAND allotted to E. M. Jackson in the division of his parents' real estate, containing respectively 33 acres and 11 acres, the former cleared, the latter in timber. On the larger tract there is a barn, fencing, &c. This land lies near the village of Springvale, and adjoins the lands of Cornell and others.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will defray the expenses of sale and pay the costs of suit, and the residue in three equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with good personal security, and retention of title until the last payment is made.

R. H. COCKERILLE,

THOS. MOORE, mh 15-w4w SALE OF A VALUABLE AND PRO-Pursuant to the decres of the Circuit Court of sirfax county, pronounced at its November term, 1877, in the suit of Chichester vs. Chichester, the undersigned, commissioners named in said decree, will, on MONDAY, the 15th day of April, 1878, (Court day) at 1 o clock p. m., sell to the highest bidder, by public sale, that valuable farm called "MANTUA," whereon Major John H. Chichester at present resides, the part offered for sale embracing buildings, in part offered for sale embracing buildings, improvements and cultivated land; contains 550 acres; is in part heavily timbered, the soil being of excellent quality. By consent this farm may be subdivided to suit purchasers. It offers a rare

opportunity for a safe and profitable investment. Terms of Sale: One third of the purchasa money in hand; the residue in two equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, and retention of the title until the last payment THOS. R. LOVE,

THOMAS MOORE, Comm'rs. of Sale.

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioner,

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A VALUABLE DWELLING HOUSE IN THE
CITY OF ALEXANDRIA—By virtue of a
decree of the Corporation Court for the city of
Alexandria, Va., rendered on the 11th day of
February, 1878, in the suit of Mary Polloyd,
in her own right, &c., vs. John J. Lloyd et als.,
pending in sail court, the subscriber, as commissioner of sale under said decree, will expose
for sale by public auction, on SATURDAY,
the 6th day of April, 1878, at 12 m., in front of
the Market Building, on Royal street, in the
city of Alexandria, Va., the THREE STORY
BRICK DWELLING and APPURTENANCES, No. 42, situated on the east side of
Washington street, between Prince and Duke,
in the said city of Alexandria, in front on
Washington street 22 feet, and extending eastwardly in depth 112 feet 5 inches to an alley. By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer,

wardly in depth 112 feet 5 inches to an alley. Terms of Sale: One tenth of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in three equal payments, at six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved personal security, and the retention of the title to the property until they are paid. RICHARD LLOYD,

Comm'rs. of l'ale By Harrison & O' Neal, Auctioneers. COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUA-EXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA.—By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court of Alexandria city, Virginia, rendered at the February term, 1878, in the suit of Risheill & Hooge vs. Thomas L. Sanborn and others, the undersigned, commissioners named in said decree, will sell by public auction, in front of the entrance to the Market Building, on Royal street, in Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, the 26th day of March, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., in TWO LOTS the tract of land in Alexandria county, Virginia, known as "WARWICK."

Lot No. 1 is situated on the southwest side of the W. & O. R. R., and adjoins said road; contains 53 acres, and has thereon a fine DWEL-LING, with Mansard roof, as also barn and

other out buildings.

Lot No. 2 is situated between the roads of the Lot No. 2 is situated between the roads of the W. & O. R. R. and the Alex. & Wash. R. R.; contains 37 acres, and has thereon a two story FRAME DWELLING, containing 8 rooms.

This property has excellent fencing upon it; is situated between the cities of Washington and Alexandria, about a mile from the Potomac river, and is easily accessible to both cities by railroad and turnpike, and is very desirable for persons who do business in either city. but pre-

persons who do business in either city, but prefer a country residence.

Terms of Sale—One fourth of the purchase money cash; the residue in three equal annual instalments; the purchaser to give his notes for the deferred payments, to bear interest from the day of sale. Title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid; or, if the purchaser should prefer, the property may be conveyed to him and he give a deed of trust thereon to secure the deferred payments. The buildings on lot No. 1 to be kept insured in a sum not less

than \$4,500, and those on lot No. 2 in a sum not less than \$1,500, as additional security for the deferred payments; and should the purchaser fail to insure, the Commissioners are authorized to do so at his expense. All conveyancing to be at the expense of the purchaser.

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FOR SALE. The desirable three story pressed brick front DWELLING HOUSE, on Cameron street, between Pitt and Royal, now occupied by Mr. James Carr, will be offered at private sale until SATURDAY, March 30th, when, if not previously disposed of, it will be sold by public

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